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West Nile 2015 Virus Season



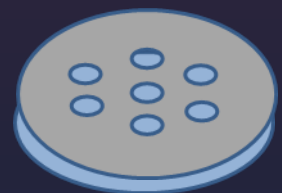
DEET

Apply insect
repellent



DAWN & DUSK

Take caution at times when mosquitoes
are most active by wearing protective
clothing and checking screens for holes.



DRAIN

Eliminate sources
of standing water

Protect against West Nile Virus.

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West Nile Virus is **preventable.**

What: West Nile Virus (WNV) is a virus spread by infected mosquitoes.

Where: WNV-infected mosquitoes have been found in Placer County, and in the lower 48 states.

Who: Anyone can be bitten, but people who are over 50, or who are immunosuppressed or living with a chronic health condition are at higher risk for severe illness and death.

When: WNV usually flares up in the summer and fall months.

Symptoms: Most people who become infected do not develop any symptoms. However, 1 in 5 will develop a fever with other symptoms such as headache, body aches, vomiting, diarrhea or rash. Less than 1% of cases develop a serious neurologic illness. Symptoms can last for weeks or months.

How to Avoid:

DEET



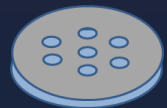
Use insect repellent when going outdoors. DEET products provide longer-lasting protection.

Dawn & Dusk



Take caution at dawn and dusk, the time of day when mosquitoes are most active. Wear long sleeves and pants, and install or repair screens around the house.

Drain



Drain all standing water, including from flowerpots, gutters, pool covers, and pet water dishes.